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TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW PRIORITY
AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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FOR AMBASSADOR AND CHARGE FROM AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: LOS CONSULTATIONS

1. I AM GOING TO JAPAN AND SOUTHEAST ASIA FOR LAW OF THE
SEA CONSULTATIONS FROM MARCH 24 TO APRIL 1 AND WOULD LIKE
TO RETURN TO THE U.S. THROUGH NEW DELHI AND MOSCOW TO
CONTINUE DISCUSSIONS WITH THE INDIANS AND SOVIETS THAT
WERE HELD RECENTLY IN GENEVA AT THE EVENSEN MEETING.

2. FOR NEW DELHI: I HAD AN OPPORTUNITY MARCH 19 TO
DISCUSS MY POSSIBLE VISIT TO INDIA WITH FOREIGN SECRETARY
MEHTA AND AMBASSADOR SINGH. BOTH THOUGHT A STOP IN NEW
DELHI FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH AMBASSADOR JAGOTA WOULD BE
USEFUL. MEHTA SAID THAT HE WAS NOT NOW ABLE TO CONFIRM
WHETHER A VISIT BY ME FROM APRIL 2 THROUGH APRIL 4 WOULD
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BE CONVENIENT IN VIEW OF FORMATION OF NEW GOVERNMENT AND
PRESSING PARLIAMENTARY BUSINESS AND RELATED MATTERS. HE
PROMISED HOWEVER TO FIND OUT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND TO
INFORM ME THROUGH THE INDIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON. I
WOULD, IF THIS VISIT IS FEASIBLE, ARRIVE IN NEW DELHI ON
APRIL 2 FROM BANGKOK ON PAA 1 AND DEPART FOR MOSCOW EARLY
MORNING APRIL 5.

3. FOR MOSCOW: WOULD YOU PLEASE ASCERTAIN IF MINISTER
KOZYREV AND OTHER SOVIET LAW OF THE SEA OFFICIALS WOULD BE

AVAILABLE FOR TALKS FROM THE PERIOD APRIL 5 TO APRIL 6. I
PLAN TO RETURN TO WASHINGTON ON APRIL 7 VIA BUDAPEST.

4. I WILL BE ACCOMPANIED TO NEW DELHI AND MOSCOW BY MR.
BERNARD OXMAN, ASSISTANT LEGAL ADVISER, L/OES.
VANCE

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